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**Title:** IMPLANTABLE OR INSERTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE RESISTANT  
TO MICROBIAL GROWTH AND BIOFILM FORMATION

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**AMENMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**Sir:**

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2004 in the above  
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